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In re Patent Application of

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TC/A.U. 1774

Serial No. 10/508,870

Examiner: Gray

Filed: December 10, 2004

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Title: SUPPORT COVERED WITH A CHITOSAN-BASED COATING AND METHOD FOR
THE PRODUCTION THEREOF**Mail Stop AF**Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

☐ **Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.****Fees are attached as calculated below:**

Total effective claims after amendment	0	minus highest number		
previously paid for	20	(at least 20) =	0 x \$50.00	\$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$

Independent claims after amendment	0	minus highest number		
previously paid for	3	(at least 3) =	0 x \$200.00	\$0.00 (1201)/\$0.00 (2201) \$

If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add
\$360.00 (1203)/\$180.00 (2203) \$

Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this
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One Month Extension	\$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251)
Two Month Extensions	\$450.00 (1252)/\$225.00 (2252)
Three Month Extensions	\$1020.00 (1253)/\$510.00 (2253)
Four Month Extensions	\$1590.00 (1254)/\$795.00 (2254)
Five Month Extensions	\$2160.00 (1255)/\$1080.00 (2255) \$

Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add
\$130.00 (1814)/\$65.00 (2814) \$

☐ Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ Statement filed herewith

Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee	\$180.00 (1806)	\$
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Assignment Recording Fee	\$40.00 (8021)	\$
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SECOND SUBMISSION OF AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

This Amendment is being submitted subsequent to the Examiner's Advisory Action dated July 19, 2006, refusing entry to the Applicants' Amendment After Final Rejection dated June 29, 2006, and is intended to be responsive to the Official Action dated June 5, 2006, which set a nominal response due date of September 5, 2006. Entry of the subject Amendment and allowance of this application are therefore requested.

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.121, each section of the subject Amendment (e.g., Claim Amendments, Specification Amendments, Drawing Amendments and Remarks) as may be appropriate to the issues raised in the Official Action to which this paper responds, begins on a separate page. Changes to the original text, claims and the like are shown by striking through language to be deleted and underlining of language to be added.